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CHAPTER 95

HOUSE BILL 2197

AN ACT

AMENDING TITLE 41, CHAPTER 1, ARTICLE 2, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY ADDING SECTION 41-129; RELATING TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Title 41, chapter 1, article 2, Arizona Revised Statutes,
3 is amended by adding section 41-129, to read:

4 41-129. Election systems improvement fund; purpose

5 A. THE ELECTION SYSTEMS IMPROVEMENT FUND IS ESTABLISHED IN THE OFFICE
6 OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE. THE FUND SHALL CONSIST OF MONIES RECEIVED FROM
7 THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT, MATCHING MONIES FROM STATE, COUNTY OR LOCAL
8 GOVERNMENTS, LEGISLATIVE APPROPRIATIONS, GIFTS, GRANTS AND DONATIONS.

9 B. THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL ADMINISTER THE FUND. ANY MONIES
10 DEPOSITED INTO THE FUND IN FISCAL YEARS 2002-2003 AND 2003-2004 ARE
11 APPROPRIATED TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE. THE STATE TREASURER SHALL INVEST AND
12 DIVEST MONIES IN THE FUND AS PROVIDED BY SECTION 35-313, AND MONIES EARNED
13 FROM INVESTMENT SHALL BE CREDITED TO THE FUND.

14 C. WITHIN THIRTY DAYS AFTER ANY EXPENDITURE OF MONIES FROM THE FUND,
15 THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL SUBMIT TO THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE BUDGET COMMITTEE
16 A SUMMARY OF THE TOTAL EXPENDITURE PLAN FOR THE FUND.

17 D. MONIES IN THE FUND SHALL BE USED TO IMPLEMENT THE PROVISIONS OF THE
18 HELP AMERICA VOTE ACT, (P.L. 107-252).

19 Sec. 2. Emergency

20 This act is an emergency measure that is necessary to preserve the
21 public peace, health or safety and is operative immediately as provided by
22 law.

APPROVED BY THE GOVERNOR APRIL 25, 2003.

FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE APRIL 25, 2003.

Passed the House February 24, 2003

Passed the Senate April 17, 2003

by the following vote: 60 Ayes,

by the following vote: 29 Ayes,

0 Nays, 0 Not Voting
with emergency
Jake Flake
Speaker of the House

Norman L. Fyore
Chief Clerk of the House

0 Nays, 1 Not Voting
with emergency
Ken Bennett
President of the Senate

Charmine Billington
Secretary of the Senate

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OF ARIZONA
OFFICE OF GOVERNOR

This Bill was received by the Governor this

21 day of April, 2003

at 2:20 o'clock P M.

Sandra Emerson
Secretary to the Governor

Approved this 25 day of

April, 2003,

at 1⁰⁰ o'clock P M.

Jon R. Ryznar
Governor of Arizona

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OF ARIZONA
OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE

This Bill was received by the Secretary of State

this 25 day of April, 2003

at 4:35 o'clock P M.

Janice K. Brewer
Secretary of State

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